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#### A MEAN REVENGE.

In the program for the State funeral tendered by ex-President Dole to the remains of Her Royal Highness the ex-"Princess Kaiulani" we note the position of the "Carriage of Liliuokalani."

To make the insulting slur more prominent we note the position assigned to the "Honorable A. S. Cleghorn" and "Carriage of Her Majesty the Queen Dowager." Also the positions of "Prince Kawananakoa" and "Prince Kalanianaole."

It is true that Her Majesty "ex-Queen" Liliuokalani is absent from Hawaii, but with gentlemen and ladies this fact will only lend emphasis to the slur.

To be sure we can hardly expect that ex-President Dole and ex-Minister of Foreign Relations Cooper can forget the many bad quarters of an hour that Her Majesty ex-Queen Liliuokalani has caused them; but it can hardly be deemed possible that they would seize upon the occasion of a State funeral to even up their score against the absent ex-Queen.

We can picture to ourselves the conference between ex-President Dole and his ex-Ministers of State over the program for the funeral of the lovely Princess of Hawaii, whom they had helped to rob of her birthright.

The situation was very awkward; but having tendered a State funeral they should have, after reflection, when it was too late to take a back step, faced the situation like gentlemen and observed all of the proprieties.

We can imagine that that common scold, the ex-Attorney-General, may have suggested the line "Carriage of Mrs. Dominis," and that there was just sufficient manliness left in the State Quintette to suggest the proper title, and then compromise on "Carriage of Liliuokalani."

We are not the keepers of the ex-President's conscience — God forbid—but we may suggest to him that having tendered a State funeral he should do nothing to render it impossible for all of our citizens to attend the last sad rites.

#### More Coolies.

The Kinshiu Maru arrived this morning with another batch of coolies. She leaves to-morrow at 5 p.m.

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#### BETTER BIDE A'WEE

### Republicans Won't be Bolldosed by New Arrivals.

Commissioner Shingle's Propositions to Ally With the National League of Republican Clubs Ruthlessly Slaughtered.

There was really quite a respectable rally of Republican politicians at the Chamber of Commerce last evening; respectable in local influence and intelligent and too respectable in numbers, since there were twice as many present as the seating accommodations of the small hall. Government officials and army men were gathered in force and so were their would-be successors in office.

The meeting was called to order by ex-Commissioner to Omaha's Exposition, Mr. Robert W. Shingle, who modestly stated that while he was at Omaha the Convention of the National League of Republican Clubs was in session. They at once grabbed him by the scruff of the neck, vanked him into the convention and after giving a number of thunderous cheers for little Hawaii, the new Republican Territory, installed him as a National Committeeman to represent Hawaii, and gave him the privilege of nominating a Vice-President of the organization. He had consequently nominsted Sanford B. Dole, President of the Republic of Hawaii, as such vice-president without consulting him, as there is at present no cable line from Omaha to Honolulu. Now, Vice-President Dole declined to serve and he himself wished to resign, but although, acting under the advice of friends, he had not organized Republican clubs throughout the vast Territory of Hawaii as was incumbent upon him as a National Committeeman (of the famous National League of Republican Clubs), yet he wished to ascertain the views of Republicans of Honolulu in the matter of being represented in that national and august body.

Mr. Shingle had to stand a good deal of "heckling," cross-examination and banter but he stood it good-naturedly, modestly and manfully.

Col. Fisher was called to the chair and somewhat reluctantly, owing to his connection with the A. U. P., accepted the honor, and James Bicknell was elected secretary.

Collector-General McStocker, the local "Platt" of the party, at once put the "kibosh" upon any affiliation with auxiliary sections of the G. O. P. before they had become correctly affiliated with the G. O. P. itself, in a legitimate manner and through the customary routine, and the time for such organization had not yet arrived. We were still in a transition state and not allied to the American political system. Furthermore, Honolulu had no more right to speak on behalf of the to-be national Republican Party of Hawaii than Hilo or any other place. If anything Hilo had a better right, so to speak, for he believed that Hilo's strong club had been organized in accordance with the national rules.

Representative Gear followed in same strain but further called attention to the fact that the premature organization of a National Republican Party, or even an official affiliation with this auxiliary league, might be detrimental and prejudicial to our interests in Congress until we had obtained our form of government and knew who were and

who were not voters.

The "newly arrived," however, would not listen to the advice of their seniors in residence who knew the ropes, but led by a very recently arrived attorney and a real estate broker, and aided and sheltered by Geo. Paris, noisily clamored for prompt organization and especially for representation in the League. We were away behind the age and

ought to be ashamed of ourselves for our dilatoriness.

W. R. Sims taught them a lesson by introducing the following resolution:

It is the sense of this meeting that no auxiliary body of the Republican party be formed prior to the formation of the general Republican party in these Islands; and,

Further, that the time for the formation of such general Republican party had not arrived.

To this an amendment was offered by the new comers' section as follows:

But that it is also the sense of this meeting that we as representative Republicans of Honolulu indicate to the National League of Republican Clubs our choice for the offices of Vice-President and National Committeeman from Hawaii in that body.

The amendment was squelched by 8 ayes to about 100 noes, and the original resolution was unanimously adopted, and Mr. Shingle's labors as a National Republican Committeeman in President Dole's society are formally repudiated. Of course Tim Murray being there led to the usual modicum of fun.

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	ohama	
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Kinau-Hav	vaii and Mau	Mar. 11
	Iaui	
W. G. Hall-	-Kausi	Mar. 12
Mauna Loa-	-Kona	Mar. 14
	an Francisco	
Warrimoo-	Sydney	Mar. 15
Miowera-V	ictoria	Mar. 17
Gaelic-San	Francisco	Mar. 16
Doric - Yoke	ohama	Mar. 18
Kee Lung M	aru-Yokoha	ma.Mar. 10
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Chins-San Upolu-Koh	Francisco	Mar. 10
Upolu-Koh	ala	Mar. 10
Kinshiu Mar	u-Seattle	Mar. 11
Warrimoo-	Victoria	Mar. 15
Gaelic-Yok	ohama	Mar. 16
Miowera-Sy	dney	Mar. 17
Doric-San 1	Francisco	Mar. 18
Kee Lung M	aru—Yokoh	ama. Mar. 10
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